Durban University of Technology (DUT) is located on the warm east coast of South Africa. It sprawls over seven (7) campuses in tropical and picturesque Durban, and in Pietermaritzburg, with its undulating hills that flow over from the Drakensberg Mountain.

According to our ENVISION2030 strategy, DUT's DNA has two strands, namely 'people-centred and engaged' and 'innovative and entrepreneurial'. These are interwoven intrinsically by a number of double pairs consisting of 'values and principles' that bind our double-helix together. The extrinsic expression of our DNA is via The DUT-Way; which demonstrates our collective character and behaviour.

The University's ultimate goal is to contribute towards improving the lives and livelihoods of all its people, both internal and external. DUT consistently strives towards excellence and greatness in teaching-learning and in research-innovation; something that has been recognized recently when The Times Higher Education's World University Rankings placed DUT within the top 500 of Universities in the world and within the top 5 universities in South Africa. The enactment of these internationally recognized strengths is demonstrated in our impactful engagement internally and externally in service of our localities, the region and the country at large.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED FROM INTERESTED PERSON(S) FOR THE UNDER MENTIONED POST

Department: Durban University of Technology (DUT)
Design Studio
Location: Durban, South Africa
Title: Mid-Level Graphic Designer - 12-Month Contract
Salary: R20 904.00

We are seeking a talented and motivated Mid-Level Graphic Designer to join our Design Studio team at Durban University of Technology (DUT) on a 12-month contract basis. As a Mid-Level Graphic Designer, you will be responsible for creating designs that effectively communicate our message and enhance the visual appeal of our brand.

Responsibilities:
Design and develop creative concepts, layouts, and designs for various print and digital media, including brochures, flyers, posters, social media graphics, and other marketing collateral.
Collaborate with the marketing team to understand the needs and objectives of each project.
Ensure all designs are consistent with the brand guidelines and visual identity of the university.
Work with the production team to ensure that all designs are of high quality and meet the required specifications for printing and digital distribution.
Stay up-to-date with the latest design trends and technologies to ensure that our designs are modern and innovative.

Requirements:
- A minimum of 3 years of experience in graphic design.
- Excellent proficiency in Adobe Creative Suite, particularly Photoshop, Illustrator, and InDesign.
- Experience in creating designs for both print and digital media.
- Strong understanding of design principles and typography.
- Excellent attention to detail and time-management skills.
- Ability to work independently and in a team environment.

A portfolio showcasing a range of designs that demonstrate creativity, innovation, and attention to detail.

To apply for this position, please send your CV and portfolio to Noluthando Mchunu at noluthandom2@dut.ac.za. This is a 12-month contract position, and the successful candidate will be required to start as soon as possible. We look forward to hearing from you.

Department: Durban University of Technology (DUT)

Design Studio
Location: Durban, South Africa
Title: Mid-Level Graphic Designer - 6-Month Contract
R20 904.00

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Applications should include:

- A fully completed prescribed application form which can be obtained from www.dut.ac.za (under the QUICK LINKS tab - @careers)
- A detailed curriculum vita (explicitly stating experience or knowledge in the above mentioned fields)
- Covering letter.
- Certified copies of all academic records and certificates
- Current contact information of referees
- No manual applications will be accepted and incomplete applications will be disregarded.
- Please email application to careers@dut.ac.za and quote the post reference and post description in the subject line.

CLOSING DATE: 9 JUNE 2023

"While DUT strives for equal opportunities, preference will be given to suitable candidates in terms of the University's equity policy" The University reserves the right NOT to make an appointment."